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TI: Oil diffuser, for diffusing essential oils for therapeutic effect

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AB: NOVELTY - An oil diffuser has a body (20) with a receptacle (19) for containing oil to be diffused, and an electrical coupling (11). The electrical coupling (1) is connected to the heating element (24) and in use is operable to securely retain the diffuser (10) relative to the cigarette lighter socket. DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An oil diffuser has a body (20) with a receptacle (19) for containing oil to be diffused, and an electrical coupling (11). The electrical coupling (11) is connected to or integrally formed with the receptacle (19) and is configured to be received in a vehicle cigarette lighter socket. The diffuser (10) further includes an electrical heating element (24) operable to heat the receptacle (19). The element (24) is disposed within the body adjacent the receptacle (19). The electrical coupling (1) is connected to the heating element (24) and in use is operable to securely retain the diffuser (10) relative to the cigarette lighter socket.; USE - Used for diffusing essential oils into the atmosphere for therapeutic effect as well as insect repellent or a deodorizer. The diffuser is suitable for use in a car. ADVANTAGE - The diffuser is compact and can be easily fitted into a dashboard. DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The diagram is a top view of the diffuser. Oil diffuser 10 Electrical coupling 11 Receptacle 19 Body 20 Element 24

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